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For: IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE)
AND METHOD COMPATIBLE)
WITH A TELEVISION RECEIVER)

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO 1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed concurrently with the above-identified application.

The listed documents were previously submitted and/or cited in a prior application, Application No. 09/258,074, filing date February 26, 1999, upon which Applicants rely for the benefits provided in 35 U.S.C. § 120. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

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